

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: DIETMAR SPANKE

SERIAL NO.: 10/539,114

GROUP ART UNIT: 2856

FILED: February 2, 2006

EXAMINER: R.T. Frank

FOR: FILING LEVEL SENSOR AND METHOD FOR  
MEASURING A FILING LEVEL

ATTY. REFERENCE: SPAN3007/FJD

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for:

☒ One Month

☐ Three Months

☐ Two Months

☐ Four Months

☐ Five Months

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$ 130.00.

☐ Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

☐ Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.

A verified small entity statement ☐ has been filed. ☐ is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a:

☐ Response

☐ Notice of Appeal

☐ Appeal Brief

☒ RCE with Response and IDS

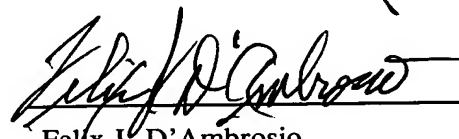
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Respectfully submitted,



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